



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of : January 19, 2005

Robert G. McGUINESS : Group Art Unit: 3722

Serial No.: 10/797,120 : Confirmation No. 4681

Filed: March 11, 2004 : Examiner: Fridie, Jr., W.

For: BUSINESS CARD :

REQUEST TO WITHDRAW NOTICE OF ABANDONMENT

Honorable Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

On December 29, 2004, applicant timely filed a response to the outstanding Office Action of June 29, 2004. Attached is a copy of the response, along with a copy of our receipt card showing the OIPE date stamp of December 29, 2004.

On January 12, 2005, a Notice of Abandonment was mailed by the Office, and received by the undersigned on January 18, 2004. The Notice indicated that the Examiner talked to Mr. McGlynn on January 7, 2005 and that "it was determined that no response would be filed." This is obviously incorrect, since a response was filed prior to this conversation.

In view of the above, it is respectfully requested that the Notice of Abandonment be withdrawn.

It is believed that no fee is due; however should that be incorrect, please charge Deposit Account No. 19-2105 for any fees required to be paid in connection with this submission and informed the undersigned.

Respectfully submitted,

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